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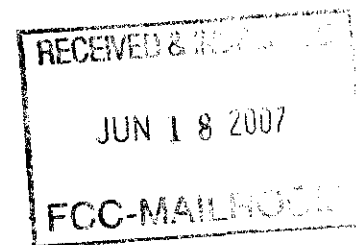
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June 8, 2007

RE: *Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, CC Docket No. 96-45*

PUCT Docket No. 24481 – Designation of Common Carriers as Eligible Telecommunications Carrier to receive Federal Universal Funds Pursuant to the Federal Communications Commission's Fourteenth Report and Order Adopting A State Certification Process

PUCT Project No. 25787 - FCC Letters Regarding ETC Designation Pursuant to FTA '96 §214(e)(2)

PUCT Docket No. 33061 – Application of TerraCom, Inc. d/b/a Texas TerraCom for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier

TerraCom, Inc. d/b/a Texas TerraCom – Annual Affidavit

On October 2, 2006 the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUCT) issued a letter regarding designation of TerraCom, Inc. d/b/a Texas TerraCom (TerraCom) as an eligible telecommunications carrier (ETC). The PUCT's *Order No. 3*, Docket No. 33061, issued on September 25, 2006 granted this designation.



On May 25, 2007, TerraCom filed the attached letter and affidavit of Richard Yurich, Vice President, which attests to the company's intent to use the federal support only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended, consistent with § 254(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act, and for provision of the designated services required by 47 C.F.R. §54.101. This document is forwarded to your attention pursuant to 47 C.F.R. §§54.313 – 54.314 for the purpose of calculating federal universal service support for TerraCom.

If you require any additional information please call Rick Talbot at (512)-936-7257.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rick Talbot", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Rick Talbot – Policy Analyst
Communication Industry Oversight Division - Texas Public Utility Commission

cc: attachment

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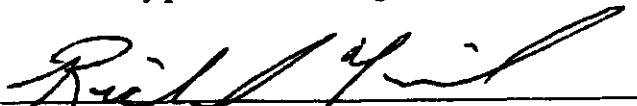
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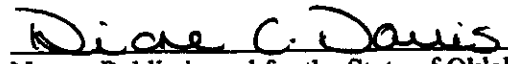
BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Richard Yurich of Texas TerraCom ("the Company"), who on his oath deposed and said:

1. My name is Richard Yurich. I am employed by Texas TerraCom in the position of Vice President. In this position, I am personally familiar with the Federal Universal Service support received by the Company and how the Company uses these funds.
2. Texas TerraCom was designated as an eligible telecommunications carrier by the Public Utility Commission of Texas in Docket No. 33061 by order dated September 25, 2006.
3. The Federal Universal Service support funds received by the Texas TerraCom are used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities for which the support is intended, as designated by the Federal Communications Commission consistent with § 254(e) of the federal Telecommunications Act. These funds will be used to provide the supported services as designated in 47 C.F.R. § 54.101 which are available throughout the Company's study area.
4. The matters addressed above are within my personal knowledge and are true and correct.

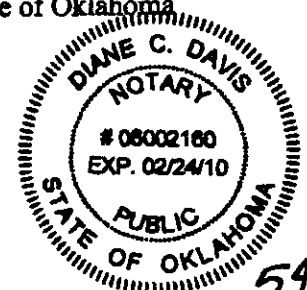

Signature of Affiant

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this
the 25th day of May 2007.

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Notary Public in and for the State of Oklahoma

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